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## To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has

been calculated as shown below.									
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-		Claims remaining after amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	No. of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Rate		
Total Claims		21	Minus	20	1	X 18	\$18.00		
Indep. Claims		3	Minus	3	0	X 86	\$0.00		
TOTAL \$18.00									
	No additional fee is required.								
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. 🖾	Applicants request any extensions of time that may be necessary and authorize the required fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 24-0037.								
$\boxtimes$	Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 24-0037.								
Date:	Respectfully submitted, FAY, SHARPE, FAGAN, MINNICH & MCKEE, LLP  Mark S. Sval, Reg. No. 34,261 1100 Superior Avenue, 7th Floor Cleveland, Ohio 44114-2579 (216) 861-5582  CERTIFICATE OF MAILING  maker 37 C.F.R. § 1.8. I certify that this Amendment Transmittal Letter and accompanying document(s) are being								
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## **PATENT**

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AMENDMENT B

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed November 10, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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